

2016 JAMES E. ROBERTS ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

The California Transportation Foundation (CTF), a nonprofit organization, announces **two \$1500 scholarships**: the **James E. Roberts Engineering Scholarship** for the academic year 2015/2016.

Applicants must be in their <u>senior year of a California high school</u> and <u>interested in pursuing a college degree in civil engineering</u>. The award of the scholarship is based on the applicant's commitment to a career in transportation, current job skills, academic record, and specific goals and experience. Financial need may be considered, but it is not a primary factor.

Applicants must meet the following general criteria:

- Must be a United States citizen, permanent resident, or documented international student.
- Must be in his/her senior year of a California high school.
- Must intend to enroll in civil engineering curriculum at a California college or university.
- Must plan to pursue a career in transportation after graduation.
- Must exhibit community and school involvement.
- Must provide an official transcript.
- Must provide a sealed letter of recommendation.
- Work experience and/or volunteer experience may be considered.

The **James E. Roberts Engineering Scholarship** is supported by a gift to the CTF. The scholarship is endowed, and scholarship funds are administered by CTF, a nonprofit organization established in 1988 to "Promote and Recognize Excellence in California Transportation." It is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization with tax exempt status. The Federal EIN # is 68-0165257.

Submit completed applications to:

Department of Transportation
Division of Human Resources
Office of Examinations and Recruitment Services (MS-86)
Attention: Christina Hisamoto
P.O. Box 168036
Sacramento, CA 95816-8036

Applications will be accepted through <u>April 29, 2016</u>. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Contact: by phone at (916) 227-9897 or by e-mail at askrecruitment@dot.ca.gov



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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Applicant Name:
Current Address:
Phone: E-mail address:
High school name:
High school phone number:
Overall grade point average (GPA):
College choice:
Intended major:
PLEASE COMPLETE THE APPLICATION USING THE FOLLOWING HEADINGS:
 PERSONAL STATEMENT: (Typed on <u>one</u> page and <u>double spaced</u>.) What are your college and career plans? Why are you interested in a career in transportation? How can you contribute to Caltrans as a Civil Engineer in the transportation field? Please indicate if there is a financial need.
COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL ACTIVITIES (List)
WORK AND/OR VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE (List)
ATTACHMENTS
 Please enclose the following with this application: Copy of official transcripts and proof of current enrollment One sealed letter of recommendation from a school faculty member One sealed letter of recommendation from a work supervisor

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____